

and the melting point of said second fiber material is higher than 200°C and higher than said temperature of melting,

so that said needle punched non-woven comprises at least selectively melted fibers of said first fiber material and unmelted fibers of said second fiber material.

2. (Amended) Adhesive tape according to Claim 1, characterized by the fact that the tape-like support (1) is compacted at least on one side.

6. (Twice Amended) Adhesive tape according to Claim 1, characterized by the fact that the tape-like (1) has a basis weight of 20 to 200 g/m<sup>2</sup>.

Cancel Claims 3 and 5, without prejudice.